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E.O. 11652: NA

SUBJ: ICRC STATUS IN ANGOLA

REF: A) GENEVA 9184; B) STATE 296465

HA COUNSELOR AND MISOFF MET WITH DELEGATE GENERAL  
SCHMIDT WHO RETURNED FROM AFRICA DEC 21.

1. SCHMIDT REPORTED THAT ICRC LOGISTICAL OPERATIONS WILL  
NO LONGER BE PERMITTED IN ANGOLA (REF A). ALL EMERGENCY  
ASSISTANCE WILL ASAP BE SHIPPED TO ANGOLA FROM KINSHASHA  
AND/OR BRAZZAVILLE.

2. IN VISIT TO UGANDA SCHMIDT INFORMED GENERAL AMIN  
OF ANGOLAN DECISION AND ASKED FOR OAU SUPPORT. SUCH  
SUPPORT WOULD DISABUSE ANGOLANS OF ANY SUSPICIONS  
ABOUT ICRC ACTIVITIES. AMIN INVITED AND SCHMIDT ACCEPTED  
INVITATION TO ATTEND OAU SESSION IN ADDIS BEGINNING  
JAN 10 AND PRESENT ICRC CASE. AMIN ALSO RECOMMENDED  
ICRC INFORM MOBUTU (ZAIRE) AND GOVT OFFICIALS IN  
BRAZZAVILLE OF DESIRE FOR ICRC OPERATIONS TO BE  
PLACED IN THEIR COUNTRIES.

3. SCHMIDT SAID THAT ICRC ANGOLA PROGRAM IS  
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OPERATING WITH A CURRENT DEFICIT OF SF 1 MILLION.

THE AGENCY WILL LANUCH ANOTHER APPEAL FOR FUNDS  
END OF JANUARY. NEW BUDGET WILL ALSO BE PREPARED.

4. IN MEANTIME PROGRAM CONTINUES WITH 3 MEDICAL TEAMS  
(2 SWISS, 1 SWEDE) IN ANGOLA, PROVIDING  
SERIVES TO BOTH SIDES OF CONFLICT. MEDICAL SUPPLIES  
CURRENTLY BEING SHIPPED FROM GENEVA, VALUED AT  
500,000 SWISS FRANCS OVER PAST FOUR MONTHS.

5. SINCE NEW APPEAL WILL NOT BE MADE UNTIL LATE  
JAN, DEPT MAY WISH TO DEFER DECISION OF  
US FUNDING. ALSO OAU SESSION MAY PROVIDE  
INSIGHTS REGARDING ADDITIONAL US CONTRIBUTIONS. DALE

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